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BODIES IDENTIFIED OF MEN BURNED TO DEATH

Friends Claim Remains of Fire Victims at California

HEAD OF M'CLOY GONE

Ghastly Spectacle Greets Relatives and Friends of Three Young Men

Identification was made of the three victims of the Daisytown fire this morning at California and the bodies were shipped to the various homes. Friends and relatives of the men made the identification by well known peculiarities. John Lowther was recognized by a gold tooth and James McIntyre by a peculiarity of his teeth. William McCloy, whose head was burned from his body had to be identified largely by guess, but his parents were satisfied and took the body to their home in Brownsville.

As soon as the fire died out from the old store building at Red Hill, in Daisytown, the bodies of the three men were taken out by their friends and taken to California to Ghrist's Undertaking rooms.

There the ghastly remains were viewed by a number. The people of John Lowther came from their home in Smock and after viewing the three bodies settled on the right one by a gold tooth which they recognized.

The parents of McCloy were not so sure in their identification, having only a charred body without any semblence of head to claim as that of their late son. McIntyre's people did not come but friends identified it and shipped it to the home in Shinston, W. Va. The legs and arms of the three victims were burned off and the rest of their bodies are charred and blackened. As they lay side by side in the morgue they presented an awful sight.

It is now stated that the fire started in the rear of the building it is supposed from an overheated coal stove. The Monongahela River Consolidated Coal and Coke company, which owned the structure had considerable mine material stored there so that their loss will reach into several thousands of dollars.

It is intimated that a careful investigation will be made into the cause of the fire which resulted in the death of the three men.

ANNOUNCE ENGAGEMENT OF MISS RUTH GALEY

Miss Emma M. Tippins has returned from Sewickley, where she was the guest of Miss Ruth Sphar Galey. Miss Galey was a hostess at a luncheon one day this week of twenty-four covers in honor of Miss Bessie Reed Adams, whose engagement to Charles Dane Kelly was recently announced. During the afternoon the engagement of the hostess to Charles Emlen Wistar, of Cleveland, Ohio, was announced. Miss Galey is the niece of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas P. Grant, of Charleroi and leaves with them Monday night for Orlando, Fla., for a three months trip.

The best $15.00 Suit in the world. Take a look, at Murdock & McCarty's 115-tf

Will Preach Last Sermon

Rev. C. E. Frontz Arranges to Leave Pastorate He Held for Five Years

Rev. Chalmers E. Frontz will preach his farewell sermon as pastor of Christ Lutheran church Sunday evening and next week will leave for Tiffin, Ohio, where he will asume charge of the First English Lutheran church to which he recently accepted a call. Rev. Frontz has been here for five years.

When the congregation accepted his resignation recently it made a request of Rev. Frontz that he conduce the quarterly communion service before he leaves, although his last Sunday will not be the regular communion date. Consequently there will be communion service both morning and evening. His sermon topic in the evening will be "Parting Message."

AIR GUN DEADLY WEAPON

Correspondent Complains That It Is Used Too Much

BOYS VERY RECKLESS

To the Editor of the Charleroi Mail:

Sir—The article in Friday's Mail, relative to the deadly air gun is certainly deserving of consideration. The air gun is a deadly weapon, and it is unlawful for boys to carry them. I believe, too, that the parent who buys an air gun for his boy is, to say the least, extremely thoughtless. If a boy were seen firing a reveolver on the streets of Charleroi what an excitement it would raise and how quickly that boy would be in the clutches of the law. Yet it is not unusual to see boys shooting at pedestrians with the air gun, and little notice is given it. The only difference between the two is the propelling force of one is compressed air, while the other is gun powder.

There is only one thing worse than the boy with the air gun that is not receiving the attention it should, and that is the man who buys the gun for the boy. Charleroi is not the only town that is discussing this matter, and it is hoped that soon the air gun will not be classed as an innocent plaything. Citizen.

Notice.

Prof. Oatman has discontinued his dancing school in the Bank of Charleroi Hall. At the completion of the Might auditorium on Fifth street, which will be in about three weeks he will open a school there. Watch Mail for further announcement 127-t12

NUMBER OF MILLS ARE STARTING UP

Advance Wave of Prosperity Indicated by Plants at Various Places Resuming in Full Capacity

Four furnaces of the Edgar Thompson steel plant were started this week at Braddock, after having been suspended for a number of months. During the suspension extensive repairs were made and new up-to-date fixtures installed. New electric cranes were put in. At the Edgar Thompson a new experiment referred to in the Mail recently is being tried to produce a subproduct of steel from what was formerly considered waste.

Official announcement was made at New Castle that the Greer tin plant will resume operations in full at all of its 20 mills next Monday. The entire 50 hot mills in the Greer and Shenango tin plants will then be in operation. Indications are for a steady run through the year, effecting 5,000 tin workers there.

Anouncement was made Friday that the Griffiths charcoal iron and tin mills at Washington will resume full operation with the first of the year, giving about 200 men employment. The Jessop Steel Company will greatly increase its force on January 1. It has been operating with about 100 men.

LECTURE DATE SET

Rabbi J. Leonard Levy of Pittsburg to Lecture Here

COMING ON JANUARY 18

A rare intellectual treat is in store for the people of Charleroi, Thursday evening, January 18, when Rabbi J. Leonard Levy of Pittsburg will deliver a lecture in School Hall on the subject, "Yesterday, Today and Tomorrow." The lecture will be given under the auspices of the Ladies' Guild of St. Mary's Episcopal church, and it is through the personal friendship of Rabbi Levy with the rector, Rev. Lucius W. Shey, that so distinguished a lecturer is secured. Rabbi Levy is one of the foremost lecturers of the day, and his services for the platform are in such demand that it is difficult to secure a date, and Charleroi people are fortunate in having an opportunity to hear so talented a speaker.

While in Charleroi Rev Rabbi Levy will be lunched by the Community Club at the Elks' Home, in company with several of his personal friends who expect to accompany him. Reservations for seats for the lecture are already being made.

No Mail Monday

Following the usual custom The Mail will print no paper on Monday, January 1, New Years' day.

WASHINGTON HERE NEW YEAR'S NIGHT

Charleroi Plays at Home on Monday and Hopes to Maintain Third Place

As the New Years' attraction on the local floor the Washington team of basketballers will appear, and as they put up a strong game the last time they played Charleroi a good game is expected. Washington nearly won a game from Charleroi the other day and made Adams and his men travel the limit to get it away fram them Being a holiday the indictations are that there will be a fair attendance to witness the game.

Notice.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Turn Verein Realty Co., will be held at Charleroi Turner Hall Wednesday, Jan 10, 1912, at 8 p. m. for the purpose of electing a board of directors to serve for the ensuing year.

Joseph Hochendoner, Sec.
D-30-J-3-9

You can get a Cluet $1.50 dress shirt for $1.35 at Murdock & McCarty's. 115-tf

RULES FOR THE CLUBS

Movement to Establish Uniformity Occasions Action

HOTEL MEN INTERESTED

In view of recent drastic court decisions in the State regarding the sale of liquor by clubs, it is stated that the secretary of every club in Washington county has received a notice which assumes to outline the rules and regulations that should be observed in the handling of liquors. The notices were sent out by the Pennsylvania State Retail Liquor Dealer's Association and are supposed to represent action taken at the convention recently held in Lancaster.

The notices seek to have the clubs observe the same hours as are followed by regularly licensed bars, closing at 9:30 o'clock at night on Sundays and on election days. The notices also specify that liquors must be sold only to members and without profit.

This is supposed to be preliminary to an effort upon the part of the Retail Liquor Dealer's Association to bring about an enforcement of the provisions outlined, the contention being advanced that these provisions represent the law in the matter. It is not expected any direct move will be made by the Hotel Men's Association until after license court.

Gave Orchestra Recital.

Paul Bartley who has organized an orchestra of stringed instruments, gave an interesting entertainment at the Wellington Hotel last evening, which was highly appreciated by the audience present. He also performed at the Star Theatre the same evening. Tuesday night of next week the orchestra fills an engagement at the Dreamland Theatre in Monongahela.

Mr. and Mrs. S. T. Franks were at Waltersburg Friday to attend the funeral of the former's mother who died on Wednesday from a stroke of paralysis.

Books Should Be Passed.

Complaint is made by members of the neighborhood book club that in some instances books are not passed promptly. The regulation is that all books must be passed each Saturday night. A failure to comply with this causes confusion, and all members are requested to make a special effort to pass the books promptly at the specified time.

Mrs. W. H. Coles,
Mrs. E. C. Niver,
Librarians.

Dancing School.

Dancing school every Monday night at Donora Bank Hall. Cars stop at the door. 126-t5

All $20 and $22.50 and $25.00 Men's Suits go during December at $15.00. Murdock & McCarty. 115-tf

Prof. Oatman will hold a dance afternoon and night January 1, 1912, Bank of Donora Hall. Wheelers Orchestra afternoon and night. 127-t4

NEW YEARS' HOLIDAY TO BE PROPERLY OBSERVED

Fricks Pay Their Bonus

Opportunity Given Men to Invest in Steel Corporation Stock

The superintendents and heads of departments of the H. C. Frick Coke company will get their annual bonuses within the next few days. The Frick employes will be given the usual opportunity to subscribe to stock of the United Stated Steel Corporation. The basis this year will be below that of last when the common stock was subscribed at $70 and the preferred at $114. The total amount of bonuses distributed will amount to $1,450,000 of which the Frick company employes will get $250,000.

It is not expected that the bonuses will run as high as last year, the superintendents getting from $200 to $1,000. Plants like the Standard Leisenring No. 1, Lemont, Trotter, Leith, Redstone, Leckrone, Edenborn and several others are expected to show up well. Reports give these plants as receiving top figures in the distribution.

CHARLEROI WINS FROM UNIONTOWN

First Victory of Season Claimed From Ex-League Leaders

NOW IN THIRD POSITION

Cheered on to almost superhuman deeds by a wildly enthusiastic crowd Charleroi outplayed Uniontown Friday night and took their first game fram the leaders by the score of 38 to 31. Meanwhile Johnstown beat Connellsville, acquiring the lead and paving the way to let Charleroi in third place. The fastest game that has been played on the local floor this season, Charleroi had a tough job winning. Especially in the second half did Uniontown get into the struggle for all they were worth but the careful guarding and all around game of the locals had them plainly beaten.

Uniontown scored first after about two minutes of play, when Sears tossed a field goal and then followed up by a foul. Adams scored a foul. Then things began to come rapidly. Adams threw a field goal and was followed by Jimsey Brown in his feature toss. Boggio captured one from the middle of the floor. Then Adams pulled off his feature toss. Allie Brown got under the basket and made a couple of his sure shots, O'Donnell landed one for Uniontown and Big Bill Herron heaved the ball in the basket in a long throw.

When the second half opened Uniontown went after the game. In the

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Most of Stores and Business Places to be Closed Monday

WILL USHER IN THE DAY

Watch Meetings to be Held—Postoffice to Observe Holiday Hours

Generally New Years' Day will be observed by business houses and the people as a holiday. In Charleroi most of the stores will be closed all or the greater part of the day and the first day of the New Year will be one of rest. Little out of the ordinary routine in the way of etertainment will be provided. but the theatres will have appropriate programs on Monday night and the basketball game at the rink will prove an attraction. Sunday night there will be a number of watch meetings and the new year will be greeted with noisy acclaim.

Uncle Sam regards New Years' day as a legal holiday and accordingly there will not be much work done at the postoffice. Regular holiday hours will be observed the same as on Christmas. The postoffice will open at the usual hour on Monday morning to keep open until 9 o'clock. At that hour the doors will be closed to reopen a gain at 6 o'clock for the accomodation of patrons who wish to secure their evening mail. One delivery will be made during the day by the carriers.

ANCHOR CLASS IS ENTERTAINED

Twenty of the women of the Anchor class of the First Christian church were entertained by their teacher, Mrs. E. Dainty, at her home on Second street Thursday evening. Each one brought a jar of fruit which was turned over to the poor committee as a donation from the class. A very pleasant evening was spent with various diversions. Mrs. Nettie Welsh favored with a reading. Refreshments were served after which Mrs. Mitchell in a neat little speech presented Mrs. Dainty with a beautiful teacher's Bible.

GOOD ATTRACTIONS AT STAR THEATRE

See the famous 2 reel feature today, "The Golden Wedding." This photo play won first prize of 25,000 francs.

Monday—International Automobile Racing at Savanna, Ga.

Wednesday—"Before Yorktown." A big two reel feature of the Civil War.

"Don't fail to see these great Photo Plays at the Star. Just 5 cents. Afternoon and night. 129-t4

Start the New Year Right.

By attending Kirk and Clark's four hour sale on Jan. 1—make your money do double duty—store closed at noon. See large ad on page 2. 130-t1

J. K. Tener, Pres. S. A. Walton, Vice Pres. R. H. Rush, Cashier.

RESOLVE

THE 1ST NATIONAL BANK

to pay all your bills by check on account of its Safety and Convenience.

If you have not a Check Account we cordially invite you to open one with First National Bank of Charleroi.

Open Saturday Evenings from 6.00 to 9 o'clock

4 Per cent. Interest Paid on Sav'ngs Accounts

Depository for the State of Pennsylvania.

TOO MANY CLOCKS

Have Their Recomendation in Their Faces and Outer Shells.

We believe in attractive exteriors but we have greater faith in the recomendation that a good time keeper will give us. Our clocks are ornaments in every sense of the word, though we prefer them to be classed distinctly as time keepers.

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DISPLAY—Fifteen cents per inch, first insertion. Rates for large space contracts made known on application.

READING NOTICES—Such as business locals, notices of meetings, resolutions of respect, cards of thanks, etc., 5 cents per line.

LEGAL NOTICES—Legal, official, and similar advertising including that in settlement of estates, public sales, live stock estray notices, notices to teachers, 10 cents per line, first insertion, 5 cents a line each additional insertion.

LOCAL AGENCIES

G. S. Might.....Charleroi
Mrs. Belle Sharpneck.....Lock No. 4
E. T. Hixenbaugh.....Belle Vernon
E. T. Hixenbaugh.....Speers

Dec. 30 In American History.

1851—Lajos (Louis) Kossuth, Hungarian patriot and exile, visited Washington on invitation of congress.

1861—The banks in New York, Philadelphia and Boston suspended specie payments.

1865—Henry Winter Davis, Maryland statesman and orator, died in Baltimore; born 1817.

1903—The Iroquois theater burned in Chicago; 583 lives lost.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

(From noon today to noon tomorrow.) Sun sets 4:38, rises 7:20; moon rises 2:53 a. m.; moon at ascending node, crossing sun's path upward; 10:50 a. m., moon in conjunction with Saturn, passing from west to east of the planet, 4 degrees north thereof; sun's declination, 23 degrees 10 minutes south of celestial equator.

CONVENTIONS.

The Pittsburg Chamber of Commerce has a convention committee. It is the duty of this committee to try to induce conventions to come to the city, in order that large bodies of men and women may become familiar with the business and manufacturing facilities, as well as spend their money there. The amount of business from this source alone if a big item to many cities and towns, which makes a special feature of looking after and entertaining conventions of all sorts. Just now the Pittsburg Chamber of Commerce committee is trying to land the convention of the American Bottlers' Protective Association, which is composed of 2,000 delegates and which it is estimated will dusburse while in convention the sum of $250,000, to say nothing of future business that is more than likely to result from the visit of the delegate. The Pittsburg committee also made an unsuccessful attempt to land the Republican National convention, which is worth a big sum of money to the city in which it is held.

In a small way Charleroi can emulate Pittsburg, and work for conventions. The desirability of holding the county teachers institute here has already been mentioned and discussed. There are other numerous church, Sunday school and fraternal conventions which can usually be had for the asking, some of which have already been held in Charleroi, and which were most hospitably received. The conventions which have come here through the personal efforts of local delegates and others have already left with a good impression of the town, and the delegates were always enthusiastic in their praises of the reception and entertainment accorded them.

There are ample facilities in Charleroi for holding conventions, which with a little effort might be increased This is an opportunity to get some outside benefits without the expenditure of any undue amount of capital, and if it is systematically and persistently worked is bound to bring results.

THE DEMOCRATIC SPIRIT.

With the announcement of the formation of a Chinese Republic comes a realization of the growth of the democratic spirit that is agitating the people everywhere in civilized countries. If the present revolution in China results in the founding of a permanent government by the people of this ancient empire, the greatest democratic revolution in all history will have been achieved.

This is but one of the manifestations of the signs of the times. The unrest and discontent that is rife in this country is but the revolt of the masses for a greater degree of popular rule—the direct rule of the people. It may be somewhat of a surprise to many American citizens to know that the United States constitution not only prohibits direct popular rule, but presents checks and hindrances from attaining this that are well nigh insurmountable. It is almost impossible to amend the constitution and as a final check the United States Supreme court has absolute jurisdiction over any laws that Congress may pass in an attempt to give the people direct rule. As such laws are in conflict with the constitution, which was designed to prohibit direct popular rule, the spirit of democracy has a check in this country which will require a hard struggle to overcome.

This is what has given rise to the agitation for the initiative, referendum and recall, which is destined to continue, until the people are the supreme rulers of the government. The movement for democracy is world wide, and the manifestation in China is representative of the spirit of the age.

ELECTRIC SPARKS

The time for appointments is at hand.

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It's particularly noticeable that all the bad fires come on the coldest nights.

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It's a lot easier to get a good dynamite story started after the McNamaras confessed that it was before.

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Cold weather wouldn't be so bad if all the uncomfortable duties weren't somehow pushed upon us at the most frigid periods.

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Fluctuating prices means that when you sell the price is down, and when you buy the price isup.

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Russian soldiers kick a Persian, arrest the Persian for being in the way and then kill him for resisting the government authoritiy. Or at least some peculiarities to that effect are in vogue now in the far east.

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Kid McCoy is married again. Is this his eighth or is it his tenth time? He stil has something on Nat Goodwin and King Henry VIII, but King Soloman's record apparently is unapproachable.

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It must be tough on the shade of Confucius to know that the Chinese are entirely going back on his teachings in their progressive nations.

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A man of the world is a man who calls a bartender oy his first name, infers the Youngstown Vindicator. But that's in Ohio. Conditions are different in Pennsylvania and New York.

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The Washington Observer reports that butterflies were seen about the county jail this week. That's nothing. Humming birds in spangles, pink elephants, and June bugs with wings of gold in December are often reported as being in evidence at our borough lock-up.

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If that Monessen man who toted a suit case full of dynamite around the streets while carrying inside his carcass a good sized package of internal dynamite, stays in jail until February to await action of the grand jury, he will have time to gravely consider matters anyhow, even though he doesn't get any sentence.

Bath robes and smoking jackets. Murdock & McCarty. 115-tf

A Four Hour Sale on January 1

Store closed at noon on New Years Day and we want to condense a whole day's business into four short hours. These bargains will bring the crowds, so be here early to insure prompt service.

These Prices are for This Sale Only

Four Hour Fur Sale

$10.00 Furs for $7.50
$5.00 Furs for $3.50
$4.00 Furs for $3.00
$3.00 Furs for $1.98

Men and Women's Plain Hemstitched Linen Handkerchiefs

Womens Pure Linen, regular size handkerchiefs, 6 for 25c.

Mens Full size Pure Linen handkerchiefs, 3 for 25c.

Womens Fine Embroidered Handkerchiefs, 25c and 35c value. Sale price, 5 for $1.00.

Sale closes a noon New Years day.

Children's Lined Fur Top Kid Gloves

Pretty brown color with neat fur trimming, were a bargain at 75c. Sale Price for four hours only...50c

All Picture Books, Bibles etc. to be offered during this sale at **Half Price**

Don't forget this sale lasts only till noon on Monday, January 1, 1912.

Four Hours Brisk Selling Will Soon Reduce Our Stocks of

Fancy Goods At Half Price

Neck Tie and Hair Ribbon Holders, formerly 25c and 50c .....
Spun Brass and Copper Smoker's Sets, formerly, $1.50 to $3.00.....
Brass Ash Trays, Ink Wells, etc., formerly 25c to 50c .....
Comb and Brush Sets, formerly $1.50 to $10.00 .....
Manicure Sets, formerly 25c to $5.00
Sewing Boxes, formerly 50c to $1.00
Perfumes, 25c to 50c .....
Men's 50c Boxed Neckwear .....
One table of Assorted Toys .....

Now Half Price

HALF PRICE SALE CLOSES AT NOON MONDAY

Sale of Umbrellas

Choice of one lot of ladies umbrellas with up-to-date Mission and Princess Handles.
$1.00 Umbrellas choice 85c
$1.50 Umbrellas choice $1.25
$2.00 Umbrellas choice $1.50

Ladies' Boxed Fancy Neckwear

Formerly 25c and 50c. Choice four hour Sale Price 10c

Men's, Boys' and Women's Sweater Coats

$1.24 Kind go for 89c
$4.00 Kind (Womens Only) $2.98

Lancaster Apron Gingham per yard 6c
9-4 Bleached Sheetings, worth 30c per yard..19c
Light and Dark Outing Flannel per yard 8c

Underwear Specials for Four Hours Only

Misses Fleecy Ribbed Vests or Pants, one surplus lot, sizes 8 to 14 Special fine finish, choice... 20c

Men's $1.00 Union Suits fine ribbed, fleece lined, per suit..85c

Boys' Fleeced Union Suits, ribbed or plain, all sizes, per suit 45c

Kirk and Clark
THE ECONOMIC STORE.

PICKED UP IN PASSING

Acording to the Canonsburg Notes James Welsh of Chartiers came to that town the other day and bought a mouse trap which was guarantned to do the work. When he came back a day or two afterwards he was asked how he was getting along, when he answered:

"First-rate. "Why," said he, "the first evening I caught 19 mice before bedtime, and I could have caught more only that my boy, who was keeping tally got behind and I had to stop to let him catch up with the count; and once I had stopped I concluded not to start up again until morning."

"I was in West Virginia last week on a business trip," said a valley resident, "and I find the people there stirred up over the high cost of living, just as they are in this State. Naturally all who are interested in the subject turn their thoughts to stock raising and farming and deplore industrial and political conditions that are taking the young men away from the farms.

"'Only think,' said a West Virginian with whom I was discussing the subject, 'the value of the hogs raised in this State last year is only $2,000,000, while over in Ohio they raised hogs valued at $19,000,000: We've too many politicians here and not enough farmers. What we need to do is to raise more hogs and less h——l.'"

The greatest Suit and Overcoat in the world for $10, $12, and $15. Murdock & McCarty. 126-tf

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Manicuring, Shampooing, Hair Dressing and Weaving, Face and Scalp Massaging, Chiropody.

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206 Fourth St. Charleroi, Pa.

FACTS AND FICTION

Experiences of Charleroi People Are Easily Proven to be Facts.

The most superficial investigation will prove that the following statement from a resident of Charleroi is true. Read it and compare evidence many of strangers living so far away you cannot investigate the facts of the case. Many more citizens of Charleroi will endorse Doan's Kidney Pills.

Mrs. William McBridge, 508 Lincoln avenue, Charleroi Pa., says: "Doan's Kidney Pills have been used in our family for several years. Our first experience with them took place while we were living in Beaver Falls and a member of our family was at that time suffering from dull pains in the small of the back, and other symptoms of kidney trouble. They proved of great benefit and there was no return attack of the trouble for some time. About a month Doan's Kidney Pills were procured at Piper Bros." Drug Store and proved as beneficial as before. Judging from our experience with Doan's Kidney Pills, I do not hesitate to recommend them."

For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, New York, sole agents for the United States.

Remember the name—Doan's—and take no other.

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Among the Theatres

THE PALACE—CHARLEROI.

With Christmas the banner business day in the history of the house, the Palace Theatre is nearing the close of a very prosperous year, the result of giving the public the best and cleanest shows that can be procured, with careful attention to the comfort and convenience of the patrons. The Christmas crowds broke all previous records, and the matinee and night shows produced "standing room" only for late comers. Some of the strong photoplays of the week were "A Mother's Remorse," "Two Little Children," "Three Bears," "A Cure for Crime," besides many other. The Weekly Pathe Bulletin showed the recent big fire in Jersey City and the great fight the firemen waged against it. Another interesting feature of the Bulletin was caring for the wounded soldiers in the war between Tripoli and Turkey. Two splendid military parades of English and German soldiery were shown, as well as the recent Hungarian Feste in Cincinnati. The art of deflating a mammoth dirigible military balloon used in the German army was also an interesting feature. Miss Helen Atwill included in her repertoire of vocal selections two rollicing songs—"The Mississippi Dip," and "Knock on Wood," the latter illustrated, which pleased the crowds immensely.

THE STAR—CHARLEROI.

Christmas Day was a big one at the Star, which was practically open all day, with a change of program at night. The most of the shows taxed the capacity of the house, and Manager Cowan and his corp of assistants had a most strenuous day. Some of the features of the week were "The War in Tripoli," "The Old Leader," "An Indian Legend," "The Test," "The Rivals," and "The Blunt Sword." An educational feature was life motion pictures of manoeuvres by "National Guardsmen and Regulars at Fort Riley, Kansas." This was a most thrilling and interesting feature and showed most conclusively that the days of daring horsemanship and military pomp were not confined to the Age of Chivalry, or the romantic times of the "Louies" of France. The patrons of the Star were well taken care of during the holiday season, and greatly appreciated the pleasing programs for futher enjoying Christmas.

THE ALVIN—PITTSBURG.

The New Year's week attraction at the Alvin, Pittsburg, opening with a New Year matinee, will be America's leading comedienne, Marie Cahill. She will be presented in a new European musical comedy, "The Opera Ball,' by her manager Daniel V. Arthur. Before "The Merry Widow" launched the present Viennese vogue and caused a noticeable demand on the part of the public for more plot and more plot music, Miss Cahill was leading the way to the same and with her comedies, "Molly Moonshine," "Marrying Mary," "The Boys and Betty" and "Judy Forget."

It is said that she has now a comedy which surpasses any ever seen in the legitimacy of the story. It is from the German of Victor Leon and H. Von Waldberg with the original music of Richard Heuberger. The adaptation has been made by Sydney Rosenfeld.

As usual, Mr. Arthur has surrounded Miss Cahill with a cast of players whose names are well known to the American stage: Harry Conor, Edward M. Favor, George Lydecker, Roland Hogue, Harry Fairleigh, Evelyn Carter Carrington, Alice Gentle, Ann Tasker, Mildred Elaine and Howard Pascal. There is also a chorus which can really sing and dance.

THE GRAND—PITTSBURG

Vaudeville from all parts of the world is the Grand's New Year's offering. In the array of talent which Manager Harry Davis has booked for the week beginning Monday afternoon, January 1, there are attractions from Europe, America and Australia. The multitude of theatre goers who revere the memory of Charles Dickens will be especially interested in the performances of Mr. Tom Terriss, supported by a company of twelve London artists in the representation of "Scrooge," an adaptation in one act of Dickens' famous novel, "A Christmas Carol." Among his leading players are Fred Epiteaux, who is to play the part of Bob Cratchit and was a member of the late Sir Henry Irving's company; Miss Marjorie Davenport in the role of Mrs. Cratchit who was associated with Sir H. Beerbohm Tree and G. Clifford Boyne and Erksholme E. Clive, two of the best known of England's veteran stock actors. Mr. Terriss himself will personate the title role.

The Ten Vassar Girls whose delightful musicians have always been immensely popular in Pitsburg, return for their first engagement at the Grand in several seasons. They give a program of high class and popular music played upon a variety of instruments and interpolating a spectacular electric dance

Stuart Baries, who is perhaps the most polished and entertainong of monologists will talk upon a variety of subjects, his favorite theme of matrimony as only this genteel entertainer may.

An act of unusual quality and style will be given by Rose Royal and her horse, 'Chesterfield," an Arabian equine, pure white and Miss Royal has trained him to pose in reproduction of classic studies.

Edward Flanagan and Neal Edwards will give their own conception of stage life entitled "On and Off."

Lee White and George Perry, will sing among other ditties such attractive songs as "Slip on Your Glad Rags and Come With Me," "You've Got the Wrong Number, but You've Got the Right Girl," "The Hoolo Boola Glide," "In the Garden of My Heart," etc.

Emma Francis, the well-known and popular singing comedienne will introduce her troupe of versatile Arabs in songs, dances and tumbling.

Josephine Davis will sing mirthful character songs. Gordon Brothers in addition to a bag punching exhibition, will present their boxing kangaroo.

The moving picture portion of the program will include a review of world events and complete a New Year's program which would seem to be above criticism.

PARENTAL AUTHORITY.

(Communicated)

Never pet children when reprimanded by parental authority If young parents could realize that father and mother must be a unit in family government, divorces would be less frequent and children would have a better chance. The mother is sure the father is harsh, while the father feels sure mother is entirely too crazy and both are probably right. The differenec of opinion should be talked over privately and even if you cannot agree, you must appear to do so before the children, if the home is to be serene and the children to have a fair chance in the world.

A mother or father teaching a child in any way to deceive the other is committing a criminal act, yet this is done by mothers time and again. Each parent should remember that only one half of the child can be claimed by either, and the government must be a mixture of justice and mercy if successful. The welfare of the nation and the uniform thousands depend upon the homes of today and good literature should be found in the home. Life is very serious to those who see it as it is, and there are times in our prosperity when we forget the advice of a godly home.

We feel we are sufficient in ourselves and can supply our own wants, but trouble comes—we bemoan our weakness and how feeble when left to ourselves. How ignorant of pitfalls and snares, how easily we walk into Satin's net, as the bird walks into the fowler's net. Brave and noble children taught courage and self-denial by parents and to live a pure life carry power to move the masses to a better life. From the home comes all good impulses of life. The day comes too soon when the household is scattered—gone to make homes for themselves. Happy are we if no hasty words or unkind deeds haunt us. From the home comes all the good impulses of humanity conflicting

Parental authority has ruined many a home and when it is too late we realize our mistake. The fact is we forget God in our prosperity and that every good thing we have or enjoy comes from God. What wanderer has not longed or signed for home where patient fathers, faithful and brave, have planned and managed to improve, build up for the comfort of the family, while the mother works by his side as the children grow under the tender care. May our nation continue to honor and protect our homes.

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The KITCHEN CABINET

RARE indeed is the soul which has journeyed through untroubled ways from cradle to mid-life. The sweetest as well as the greatest souls on earth have experienced great difficulties and borne great burdens.

HOT DISHES.

Here is a nice breakfast dish: In a skillet fry out two slices of fat salt pork cut into cubes, in this brown a cup of bread cut in cubes, add an equal amount of cold cooked potatoes cut in dice, when brown add two eggs slightly beaten, heat slowly stirring until the egg is cooked. Season with salt and pepper and serve.

Minced Meat on Toast.—Put any cold cooked meat through the grinder and into the saucepan with gravy or stock and seasonings to taste. Let simmer while making fresh toast. Butter the toast after moistening it with a little of the stock. Thicken the meat with cream and a little flour mixed to a smooth paste, cook until well done, then pour over the toast.

Luncheon Dish.—Fry the fat from six slices of good bacon, remove it from the pan; flour six thick slices of ripe tomatoes and fry them in the bacon fat: while they cook make six round slices of golden toast, and poach six eggs; put the toast on a hot platter and a slice of tomato and an egg then a piece of cooked bacon: dust lightly with salt and pepper and serve at once.

Another which is a great favorite.—Prepare a white sauce as follows: A tablespoonful each of butter and flour When the butter is bubbling hot add the flour and when mixed a cup of rich milk and seasonings to taste. When well cooked add a cup of finely grated cheese, drop in gently four eggs: as soon as the eggs are set remove them and place on a slice of toast, pour the sauce over it and serve at once.

A bean or potato soup is one of the most palatable dishes to serve on a cold night for supper. Oyster stew or cream of tomato soup are both prime favorites. A dish of hot well made cream or milk toast, seasoned with a sprinkling of grated cheese, is a dish that nearly everybody likes.

Nellie Maxwell.

When a politician holds the key to the situation it may be of some use in a deadlock, but never in a case of a bolt.

THE GENTLE CYNIC

Always do your best, but never your best friend.

The one particular brand of love that isn't blind is self-love.

The penalty of a stolen kiss is frequently a life sentence at hard labor.

All locksmiths are not bachelors, in spite of the fact that love laughs at them.

Ever notice that the wolf generally comes to the door disguised as a bill collector?

A man seldom knows who his friends are, but his enemies are more considerate.

It requires almost as much force of character to be a book agent as to turn one down.

Many a girl would promise to marry a man if she thought he wouldn't be so silly as to expect her to live up to her promise.

No woman is competent to advise a young girl in her love affairs unless the aforesaid woman has been married at least four times.

WAYSIDE WISDOM.

Few men know enough not to give advice

Energy has made more men famous than merit

There is no hunger as keen as the hunger for sympathy

Sometimes a man kisses a girl against her will, against his own will.

No matter how lazy a man may be, his laziness seldom extends to his tongue

Most of us are too busy looking for tomorrow's possibilities to see those of today

Don't blame a woman for wearing her heart on her sleeve. The new styles leave her no other place to put it.

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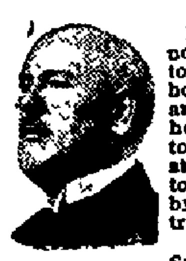

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CHARLEROI WINS FROM UNIONTOWN

(Continued from page one.)

first they had tied four times with Charleroi and ended that period with the score 22 to 17 against them. With apparent roughness the visitors failed to make the desired showing during the second period. Sears tossed a couple in the basket and Swenson who was put in to relieve O'Donnell heaved gracefully to count one. Adams threw one field goal, Jimsey Brown one, and Allie Brown two this half. Lineup:

Charleroi—38		Uniontown—31
Adams	F	Boggio
J. Brown	F	O'Donnell
A. Brown	C	Powell
Pfeiffer	G	Sears
Herron	G	Morris

Substitutions—Swenson for O'Donnell. Field goals—Adams 3, J. Brown 2, A.Brown 4, Herron, Boggio, O'Donnell, Sears 2, Swenson. Foul goals—Adams 18 out of 26, Sears 21 out of 30. Score end first half—Charleroi 22, Uniontown 17. Referee—Wetzel.

BILLIARD CONTEST STILL CONTINUES

In the Crescent Billiard Tournament Friday night Berton of the Hoppes defeated Heiker of the Schaeffers by the score of 75 to 65. In 53 innings Heiker had high run 7, Wheeler of the Hoppes defeated Gee of the Schaeffers by the score of 100 to 95. Gee had high run of 10. This was by far the most interesting game of the series to date. The attendance was good. The next game is Monday when Sharkey plays Arrigo.

Schaeffers	W	L
Sharkey	0	2
Hepler	1	1
Heiker	2	1
Phillips	1	1
Gee	0	2
Zellers	1	1
Total	5	8

Hoppes	W	L
Arrigo	2	0
Jack	1	1
Berton	1	2
Sahner	1	1
Lorensen	1	1
Wheeler	2	0
Total	8	5

Salt a Luxury.

In some parts of Africa children will eat salt in preference to sugar. On the gold coast a handful of salt will purchase two slaves.

Enough of That.

A man is never old enough to know enough not to marry a girl who is young enough to be his granddaughter.

Home of Governors.

The Louisville Courier-Journal says Kentucky has furnished to other states 106 governors.

"DEAD CENTER" BOWLS NICELY

Calls Out Possible Score and Then Makes It--Tournament Closes

With a great exhibition of ten pin rolling, "Dead Center" Green champion bowler closed his engagement at the Casino alleys Friday afternoon "Dead Center" rolled in ten frames a possible score of 100 but that wasn't his most wonderful performance. In the opinion of the spectators his best work was in knocking down the four back pins by one shot. A precision seldom attained in bowling was shown by this work. He allowed spectators to pick out pins and he would knock them down as handily as you please. Then he would call out a score he would make and proceed to make it. In the duckpin tournament which continued three days while he was here, Enoch Davis won the first prize with an average of 85, Walter Jack second prize with an average score of 84 and Willis Briggs Davis Woodward and S. L. Woodward tied at 81 for third place.

BOWLING

On the Crescent alleys last night the Stars won three games at duckpin from the Vensuses. Cupp had high score, also high average. The Crescents and Stars bowl next Tuesday night and a battle royal for second place is on. Following is the score and standing of the league to date.

Stars.

Sahner	102	102	95
Hepler	95	106	107
Berton	95	—	85
Cupp	132	105	109
Gamble	—	87	—
Totol	424	400	396

Venuses.

Victor	114	94	106
Palmer	100	118	96
Paul	111	85	88
Gamble	96	89	92
Total	421	386	396

Standing of Clubs.

	W	L	P
Comets	14	4	.778
Crescents	11	7	.611
Stars	10	8	.556
Vennuses	1	17	.056

Teach Shoemaking.

Students in the technical school at Northampton, England, one of the manufacturing centers for boots and shoes, get a thorough course in leather and footwear manufacture.

The English Weather Man.

The weather forecast for today is: Fair or fine, with some hail or snow showers; moderating northerly winds, veering northeasterly; cold, sharp night; frost inland.—London Express.

Among The Passers

Did big U win? not by Adamsite.

Capt. Jack-Oh! Jimsey Brown-Oh! Allie Brown-Oh! Sir William Herron-Oh! Ke-ke Pfeiffer-Oh! Dolin-Oh! Then six Oh's.

Next game is Monday night when Washington plays.

Adams wore out his shoes. So did Sears trying to catch up with Capt. Jack. Big Bill Herron also had to borrow a penknife from the press table to chop off a piece of refractory sole.

Big Bill Powell didn't have but one chance to shoot.

They sang about taking Sears' goat and they took it.

Will the Connellsville Courie, Johnstown Leader, and Uniontown Herald be careful not to mention Charleroi as down and out again?

Talk about flying high—Pfeiffer was a regular aeroplane intercepting those passes.

Jimsey Brown said he was going to surprise the people by combing his hair between halves. His surprise was duly forgotten.

Jacky Adams threw a left handed one from near the center of the floor for the prettiest basket thrown this season. Then Jimsey Brown broke the way from a crowd of Big U's and tossed one over his head without looking at the basket. To say it landed properly is superfluous.

Big U put Swenson, a fresh man and a big Swede in for O'Donnell in the second half but he made no more impression than a fly would against a stone wall.

If the rooters root like they did last night the boys are sure to win.

Did you notice Allie Brown jumping? Big Bill Powell didn't have a ghost of a chance with him.

Somebody informed us that the Connellsville bunch was a bunch of roughs, meaning of course that they used football tactics sometimes. Without displaying our pride too much it might be remarked that if they want to play football that there are some fellows on the Charleroi team who were brought up on that game the way some children are on bread and milk.

Washington is awfully anxious to have the Charleroi team transferred there. Just as Charleroi fans are getting interested.

CENTRAL BASKETBALL LEAGUE

Last Night's Results

Johnstown 50—Connellsville 37
Charleroi 38—Uniontown 31

Standing of the Clubs.

	W	L	Pct
Johnstown	21	5	.808
Uniontown	19	5	.792
Charleroi	13	13	.500
Connellsville	12	14	.462
Southside	10	15	.400
Washington	0	23	.000

Tonight's Schedule.

Charleroi at Southside
Uniontown at Washington

SUNDAY SERVICES AT THE CHURCHES

Washington Avenue Presbyterian

Sabbath School at 9:45, morning preaching hour 11 o'clock. Subject, "Trying the Unknown." Jr. C. E. at 2:30. Topic, "What Have You Remembered From This Years' Meetings." Senior C. E. at 6:30. Topic, "Things I Want to do Better Next Year." Leader, Miss Bernice Clutter. Preaching at 7:30. Subject, "Some Marks of Progress in the Coming of the Kingdom." All are cordially invited to worship with us. Rev. John R. Burson, pastor.

Christ Lutheran.

Sixth street and Washington avenue. Sunday School at 9:45. Divine worship at 11 and 7:30, with sermons by the pastor. Luther League at 6:45. Celebration of the holy communion at both morning and evening services with preparatory service in the morning. Rev. C. E. Frontz, pastor.

French Presbyterian.

Sunday School at 9:30. Morning services at 10:30. Evening service at 8 instead of 7, followed by social hour and watch meeting. Services will be held on Tuesday for women, only. Prayer meeting on Wednesday and men's meeting Thursday evening at 7:30. Everybody welcome. Rev. J. E. Charles pastor.

Methodist.

Sunday School at 9:30. Public worship and sermon, "Golden Memories" at 10:45. Public worship and sermon "How to Live Right" at 7:30. Epworth League Devotional meeting at 9. Watch meeting at 10. Everybody cordially welcome to these services. Rev. F. A. Richards, minister.

Episcopal.

Corner of Sixth and Lookout avenue. Sunday school and Bible classes at 9:45. Morning prayer and sermon at 11. Subject of discourse, "How We Spend Our Years." The last day of the old year. Evening prayer and address at 7:30. Subject, "Thoughts on the Old Year and the New." The offering on Sunday will be for diocesean missions. On Monday, New Years day, also the day of the Feast of the Ascension, the holy communion will be celebrated at 10:30 o'clock. Christmas music will be repeated next Sunday. All are cordially invited. Rev. L. W. Shey, rector.

Baptist.

Sunday School at 9:30. Morning worship at 11 o'clock when the pastor will preach the sermon. Young Peoples' meeting at 6:30. Dr. C. C. Wright will be the leader. Everybody welcome.

First Presbyterian.

Sunday School at 9:45. Preaching services with appropriate sermon for incoming year at 11. Jr. C. E. at 2:30. Sr. C. E. at 6:45. Leader, Miss Tillie Hopkins. Topic, "Things I Want to Do Better Next Year." Evening service a continuation of the Pilgrim's Progress from the "House Beautiful." This will be illustrated. The last offering of this year is for the Board of Freedmen. All are cordially invited. Rev. J. T. Hackett, pastor.

Happy Thought.

Father—"My colleague is the most insatiable man I ever saw. He wants everything he sees." Mother—"Can't you introduce one of our daughters to him?"

Might Live Forever.

Taking Up Henry Ward Beecher's declaration that "Yellow fever is God Almighty's opinion of dirt," a writer says nobody would die if he could keep perfectly clean.

Concrete in 56 B. C.

In the south of France is a concrete arch bridge known as the Pont du Gard, which was erected in the year 56 B. C.

A Great Service.

It is a great service to create an honest smile as we meet one another in this heavy-laden world.—The Rev. Dinsdale T. Young.

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LOCAL MENTION

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Miss Alice Bell, who has been visiting Mrs. W. H. Coles at the Wilbur returned today to her home in Pittsburg.

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Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Day of the Hotel Arthur who were guests at the Executive Mansion at Harrisburg over Christmas have returned home.

Mrs. R. M. Smith of Fifth street was in Pittsburg over last night, attending a theatre party with her husband, who belongs to the corps of Heinz salesmen, which was in convention at headquarters this week.

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Fogg of Portland, Maine, arrived this week to visit the latter's sister, Mrs. A. W. Day at the Hotel Arthur.

Paul Chalfant and sister Miss Ruth Chalfant of Washington have been guests with relatives here and at Speers.

Miss Adele Heupel was in Roscoe Friday the guest of Miss Elsie Furlong.

Mrs. Arthur Slaughter and mother Mrs Hepler have gone to North Girard, near Erie to visit relatives.

Classified Ads.

WANTED—Men to commence the New Year right by going to work for us and sell our line of Tea, Coffee, Baking Powder, Spices, Extracts, Soap products and Sundries to the consumer on commission basis. No capital to start. Small bond required. Address, Grand Union Tea Co., 820 Federal St., Pittsburg, Pa. 130-t3

WANTED—High class man to sell trees, shrubs, roses, vines, berry bushes, bulb, etc. Good wages—permanant. Exclusive territory. Brown Brothers company, Rochester, New York. 129-t1p

FOR SALE—Fine driving horse, 8 years old; phaeton, sleigh and harness. Reason for selling, have automobile. Apply "K" Mail office. 124-tf

FOR RENT—Flats. Corner McKean avenue and Second street. 130-t6p

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms. Apply 835 Fallowfield avenue. 44-tf

LOST—Coral necklace in Charleroi. Return to C. N. Mail office and receive reward. 128-t2

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BODIES IDENTIFIED OF MEN BURNED TO DEATH

Friends Claim Remains of Fire Victims at California

HEAD OF M'CLOY GONE

Ghastly Spectacle Greets Relatives and Friends of Three Young Men

Identification was made of the three victims of the Daisytown fire this morning at California and the bodies were shipped to the various homes. Friends and relatives of the men made the identification by well known peculiarities. John Lowther was recognized by a gold tooth and James McIntyre by a peculiarity of his teeth. William McCloy, whose head was burned from his body had to be identified largely by guess, but his parents were satisfied and took the body to their home in Brownsville

As soon as the fire died out from the old store building at Red Hill, in Daisytown, the bodies of the three men were taken out by their friends and taken to California to Ghrist's Undertaking rooms.

There the ghastly remains were viewed by a number. The people of John Lowther came from their home in Smock and after viewing the three bodies settled on the right one by a gold tooth which they recognized

The parents of McCloy were not so sure in their identification, having only a charred body without any semblence of head to claim as that of their late son. McIntyre's people did not come but friends identified it and shipped it to the home in Shinston, W. Va. The legs and arms of the three victims were burned off and the rest of their bodies are charred and blackened. As they lay side by side in the morgue they presented an awful sight.

It is now stated that the fire started in the rear of the building it is supposed from an overheated coal stove. The Monongahela River Consolidated Coal and Coke company, which owned the structure had considerable mine material stored there so that their loss will reach into several thousands of dollars.

It is intimated that a careful investigation will be made into the cause of the fire which resulted in the death of the three men.

ANNOUNCE ENGAGEMENT OF MISS RUTH GALEY

Miss Emma M. Tippins has returned from Sewickley, where she was the guest of Miss Ruth Sphar Galey. Miss Galey was a hostess at a luncheon one day this week of twenty-four covers in honor of Miss Bessie Reed Adams, whose engagement to Charles Dane Kelly was recently announced. During the afternoon the engagement of the hostess to Charles Emlen Wistar, of Cleveland. Ohio, was announced. Miss Galey is the niece of Mr. and Mrs Thomas P. Grant, of Charleroi and leaves with them Monday night for Orlando, Fla, for a three months trip.

The best $15.00 Suit in the world. Take a look, at Murdock & McCarty's 115-tf

Will Preach Last Sermon

Rev. C. E. Frontz Arranges to Leave Pastorate He Held for Five Years

Rev. C. E. Frontz preached his farewell sermon as pastor of Christ Lutherar church Sunday evening and next week will leave for Tiffin, Ohio, where he will asume charge of the First English Lutheran church to which he recently accepted a call. Rev. Frontz has been here for five years

When the congregation accepted his resignation recently it made a request of Rev. Frontz that he conduce the quarterly communion service before he leaves, although his last Sunday will not be the regular communion date. Consequently there will be communion service both morning and evening. His sermon topic in the evening will be "Parting Message."

AIR GUN DEADLY WEAPON

Correspondent Complains That It Is Used Too Much

BOYS VERY RECKLESS

To the Editor of the Charleroi Mail:

Sir—The article in Friday's Mail, relative to the deadly air gun is certainly deserving of consideration. The air gun is a deadly weapon, and it is unlawful for boys to carry them. I believe, too, that the parent who buys an air gun for his boy is, to say the least, extremely thoughtless. If a boy were seen firing a reveolver on the streets of Charleroi what an excitement it would raise and how quickly that boy would be in the clutches of the law. Yet it is not unusual to see boys shooting at pedestrians with the air gun, and little notice is given it. The only difference between the two is the propelling force of one is compressed air, while the other is gun powder.

There is only one thing worse than the boy with the air gun that is not receiving the attention it should, and that is the man who buys the gun for the boy. Charleroi is not the only town that is discussing this matter, and it is hoped that soon the air gun will not be classed as an innocent plaything. Citizen.

Notice.

Prof Oatman has discontinued his dancing school in the Bank of Charleroi Hall. At the completion of the Might auditorium on Fifth street, which will be in about three weeks he will open a school there. Watch Mail for further announcement 127-t12

NUMBER OF MILLS ARE STARTING UP

Advance Wave of Prosperity Indicated by Plants at Various Places Resuming in Full Capacity

Four furnaces of the Edgar Thompson steel plant were started this week at Braddock, after having been suspended for a number of months. During the suspension extensive repairs were made and new up-to-date fixtures installed. New electric cranes were put in At the Edgar Thompson a new experiment referred to in the Mail recently is being tried to produce a subproduct of steel from what was formerly considered waste

Official announcement was made at New Castle that the Greer tin plant will resume operations in full at all of its 20 mills next Monday. The entire 50 hot mills in the Greer and Shenango tin plants will then be in operation. Indications are for a steady run through the year effecting 5,000 tin workers there

Anouncement was made Friday that the Griffiths charcoal iron and tin mills at Washington will resume full operation with the first of the year, giving about 200 men employment. The Jessop Steel Company will greatly increase its force on January 1. It has been operating with about 100 men.

LECTURE DATE SET

Rabbi J. Leonard Levy of Pittsburg to Lecture Here

COMING ON JANUARY 18

A rare intellectual treat is in store for the people of Charleroi, Thursday evening, January 18, when Rabbi J. Leonard Levy of Pittsburg will deliver a lecture in School Hall on the subject, "Yesterday, Today and Tomorrow." The lecture will be given under the auspices of the Ladies' Guild of St. Mary's Episcopal church, and it is through the personal friendship of Rabbi Levy with the rector, Rev. Lucius W. Shey, that so distinguished a lecturer is secured Rabbi Levy is one of the foremost lecturers of the day, and his services for the platform are in such demand that it is difficult to secure a date, and Charleroi people are fortunate in having an opportunity to hear so talented a speaker.

While in Charleroi Rev Rabbi Levy will be lunched by the Community Club at the Elks' Home, in company with several of his personal friends who expect to accompany him. Reservations for seats for the lecture are already being made

No Mail Monday

Following the usual custom The Mail will print no paper on Monday, January 1, New Years' day.

WASHINGTON HERE NEW YEAR'S NIGHT

Charleroi Plays at Home on Monday and Hopes to Maintain Third Place

As the New Years' attraction on the local floor the Washington team of basketballers will appear, and as they put up a strong game the last time they played Charleroi a good game is expected. Washington nearly won a game from Charleroi the other day and made Adams and his men travel the limit to get it away from them Being a holiday the indictations are that there will be a fair attendance to witness the game.

Notice.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Turn Verein Realty Co., will be held at Charleroi Turner Hall Wednesday, Jan 10, 1912, at 8 p. m. for the purpose of electing a board of directors to serve for the ensuing year.

Joseph Hochendoner, Sec.
D-30-J-3-9

You can get a Cluet $1.50 dress shirt for $1.35 at Murdock & McCarty's. 115-tf

RULES FOR THE CLUBS

Movement to Establish Uniformity Occasions Action

HOTEL MEN INTERESTED

In view of recent drastic court decisions in the State regarding the sale of liquor by clubs, it is stated that the secretary of every club in Washington county has received a notice which assumes to outline the rules and regulations that should be observed in the handling of liquors. The notices were sent out by the Pennsylvania State Retail Liquor Dealer's Association and are supposed to represent action taken at the convention recently held in Lancaster.

The notices seek to have the clubs observe the same hours as are followed by regularly licensed bars, closing at 9:30 o'clock at night on Sundays and on election days. The notices also specify that liquors must be sold only to members and without profit.

This is supposed to be preliminary to an effort upon the part of the Retail Liquor Dealer's Association to bring about an enforcement of the provisions outlined, the contention being advanced that these provisions represent the law in the matter. It is not expected any direct move will be made by the Hotel Men's Association until after license court.

Gave Orchestra Recital.

Paul Bartley who has organized an orchestra of stringed instruments, gave an interesting entertainment at the Wellington Hotel last evening, which was highly appreciated by the audience present. He also performed at the Star Theatre the same evening. Tuesday night of next week the orchestra fills an engagement at the Dreamland Theatre in Monongahela.

Mr. and Mrs. S. T. Franks were at Waltersburg Friday to attend the funeral of the former's mother who died on Wednesday from a stroke of paralysis.

Books Should Be Passed.

Complaint is made by members of the neighborhood book club that in some instances books are not passed promptly. The regulation is that all books must be passed each Saturday night A failure to comply with this causes confusion, and all members are requested to make a special effort to pass the books promptly at the specified time.

Mrs. W. H. Coles,
Mrs. E. C. Niver,
Librarians.

Dancing School.

Dancing school every Monday night at Donora Bank Hall. Cars stop at the door. 126-t5

All $20 and $22.50 and $25.00 Men's Suits go during December at $15.00. Murdock & McCarty. 115-tf

Prof. Oatman will hold a dance afternoon and night January 1, 1912, Bank of Donora Hall. Wheelers Orchestra afternoon and night. 127-t4

NEW YEARS' HOLIDAY TO BE PROPERLY OBSERVED

Fricks Pay Their Bonus

Opportunity Given Men to Invest in Steel Corporation Stock

The superintendents and heads of departments of the H. C. Frick Coke company will get their annual bonuses within the next few days. The Frick employes will be given the usual opportunity to subscribe to stock of the United Stated Steel Corporation. The basis this year will be below that of last when the common stock was subscribed at $70 and the preferred at $114 The total amount of bonuses distributed will amount to $1,450,000 of which the Frick company employes will get $250,000.

It is not expected that the bonuses will run as high as last year, the superintendents getting from $200 to $1,000. Plants like the Standard Leisenring No. 1, Lemont, Trotter, Leith, Redstone, Leckrone, Edenborn and several others are expected to show up well. Reports give these plants as receiving top figures in the distribution.

CHARLEROI WINS FROM UNIONTOWN

First Victory of Season Claimed From Ex-League Leaders

NOW IN THIRD POSITION

Cheered on to almost superhuman deeds by a wildly enthusiastic crowd Charleroi outplayed Uniontown Friday night and took their first game fram the leaders by the score of 38 to 31. Meanwhile Johnstown beat Connellsville, acquiring the lead and paving the way to let Charleroi in third place. The fastest game that has been played on the local floor this season, Charleroi had a tough job winning. Especially in the second half did Uniontown get into the struggle for all they were worth but the careful guarding and all around game of the locals had them plainly beaten.

Uniontown scored first after about two minutes of play, when Sears tossed a field goal and then followed up by a foul. Adams scored a foul. Then things began to come rapidly. Adams threw a field goal and was followed by Jimsey Brown in his feature toss. Boggio captured one from the middle of the floor. Then Adams pulled off his feature toss. Allie Brown got under the basket and made acouple of his sure shots, O'Donnell landed one for Uniontown and Big Bill Herron heaved the ball in the basket in a long throw.

When the second half opened Uniontown went after the game. In the

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Most of Stores and Business Places to be Closed Monday

WILL USHER IN THE DAY

Watch Meetings to be Held—Postoffice to Observe Holiday Hours

Generally New Years' Day will be observed by business houses and the people as a holiday. In Charleroi most of the stores will be closed all or the greater part of the day and the first day of the New Year will be one of rest Little out of the ordinary routine in the way of entertainment will be provided. but the theatres will have appropriate programs on Monday night and the basketball game at the rink will prove an attraction. Sunday night there will be a number of watch meetings and the new year will be greeted with noisy acclaim.

Uncle Sam regards New Years' day as a legal holiday and accordingly there will not be much work done at the postoffice Regular holiday hours will be observed the same as on Christmas. The postoffice will open at the usual hour on Monday morning to keep open until 9 o'clock. At that hour the doors will be closed to reopen a gain at 6 o'clock for the accomodation of patrons who wish to secure their evening mail. One delivery will be made during the day by the carriers.

ANCHOR CLASS IS ENTERTAINED

Twenty of the women of the Anchor class of the First Christian church were entertained by their teacher, Mrs. C. Dainty, at her home on Second street Thursday evening. Each one brought a jar of fruit which was turned over to the poor committee as a donation from the class. A very pleasant evening was spent with various diversions. Mrs. Nettie Welsh favored with a reading. Refreshments were served after which Mrs. Mitchell in a neat little speech presented Mrs. Dainty with a beautiful teacher's Bible.

GOOD ATTRACTIONS AT STAR THEATRE

See the famous 2 reel feature today, "The Golden Wedding." This photo play won first prize of 25,000 francs.

Monday—International Automobile Racing at Savanna, Ga.

Wednesday—"Before Yorktown." A big two reel feature of the Civil War.

"Don't fail to see these great Photo Plays at the Star. Just 5 cents. Afternoon and night. 129-tf

Start the New Year Right.

By attending Kirk and Clark's four hour sale on Jan. 1—make your money do double duty—store closed at noon See large ad on page 2. 130-t1

J. K. Tener, Pres S. A. Walton, Vice Pres. R. H. Rush, Cashier.

RESOLVE

to pay all your bills by check on account of its Safety and Convenience.

If you have not a Check Account we cordially invite you to open one with First National Bank of Charleroi.

Open Saturday Evenings from 6.00 to 9 o'clock

4 Per cent. Interest Paid on Savings Accounts

Depository for the State of Pennsylvania.

TOO MANY CLOCKS

Have Their Recomendation in Their Faces and Outer Shells.

We believe in attractive exteriors but we have greater faith in the recomendation that a good time keeper will give us. Our clocks are ornaments in every sense of the word, though we prefer them to be classed distinctly as time keepers.

John B. Schafer

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ADVERTISING RATES

DISPLAY—Fifteen cents per inch. first insertion. Rates for large space contracts made known on application.

READING NOTICES—Such as business locals, notices of meetings, resolutions of respect, cards of thanks, etc., 5 cents per line.

LEGAL NOTICES—Legal, official, and similar advertising including that in settlement of estates, public sales, live stock estray notices, notices to teachers, 10 cents per line, first insertion, 5 cents a line each additional insertion.

LOCAL AGENCIES

G. S. Might.....Charleroi
Mrs. Belle Sharpneck.....Lock No. 4
C. T. Hixenbaugh.....Belle Vernon
C. T. Hixenbaugh.....Speers

Dec. 30 In American History.

1851—Lajos (Louis) Kossuth, Hungarian patriot and exile, visited Washington on invitation of congress.

1861—The banks in New York, Philadelphia and Boston suspended specie payments

1865—Henry Winter Davis, Maryland statesman and orator, died in Baltimore born 1817

1903—The Iroquois theater burned in Chicago; 583 lives lost.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

(From noon today to noon tomorrow) Sun sets 4 38, rises 7:20; moon rises 2:53 a. m; moon at ascending node, crossing sun's path upward; 10 30 a m. moon in conjunction with Saturn, passing from west to east of the planet, 4 degrees north thereof, sun's declination 23 degrees 10 minutes south of celestial equator.

CONVENTIONS.

The Pittsburg Chamber of Commerce has a convention committee & as the duty of this committee to try to induce conventions to come to the city. In order that large bodies of men and women may become familiar with the business and manufacturing facilities, as well as spend their money there. The amount of business from this source alone if a big item to many cities and towns, which makes a special feature of looking after and entertaining conventions of all sorts. Just now the Pittsburg Chamber of Commerce committee is trying to land the convention of the American Bottlers' Protective Association, which is composed of 2,000 delegates and which it is estimated will dusburse while in convention the sum of $250,000, to say nothing of future business that is more than likely to result from the visit of the delegate. The Pittsburg committee also made an unsuccessful attempt to land the Republican National convention, which is worth a big sum of money to the city in which it is held.

In a small way Charleroi can emulate Pittsburg, and work for conventions. The desirability of holding the county teachers institute here has already been mentioned and discussed There are other numerous church, Sunday school and fraternal conventions which can usually be had for the asking, some of which have already been held in Charleroi, and which were most hospitably received. The conventions which have come here through the personal efforts of local delegates and others have already left with a good impression of the town, and the delegates were always enthusiastic in their praises of the reception and entertainment accorded them.

There are ample facilities in Charleroi for holding conventions, which with a little effort might be increased This is an opportunity to get some outside benefits without the expenditure of any undue amount of capital, and if it is systematically and persistently worked is bound to bring results.

THE DEMOCRATIC SPIRIT.

With the announcement of the formation of a Chinese Republic comes a realization of the growth of the democratic spirit that is agitating the people everywhere in civilized countries. If the present revolution in China results in the founding of a permanent government by the people of this ancient empire, the greatest democratic revolution in all history will have been achieved.

This is but one of the manifestations of the signs of the times. The unrest and discontent that is rife in this country is but the revolt of the masses for a greater degree of popular rule—the direct rule of the people. It may be somewhat of a surprise to many American citizens to know that the United States constitution not only prohibits direct popular rule, but presents checks and hindrances from attaining this that are well nigh insurmountable. It is almost impossible to amend the constitution and as a final check the United States Supreme court has absolute jurisdiction over any laws that Congress may pass in an attempt to give the people direct rule. As such laws are in conflict with the constitution, which was designed to prohibit direct popular rule, the spirit of democracy has a check in this country which will require a hard struggle to overcome

This is what has given rise to the agitation for the initiative, referendum and recall, which is destined to continue, until the people are the supreme rulers of the government The movement for democracy is world wide, and the manifestation in China is representative of the spirit of the age.

ELECTRIC SPARKS

The time for appointments is at hand.

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It's particularly noticeable that all the bad fires come on the coldest nights.

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It's a lot easier to get a good dynamite story started after the McNamaras confessed that it was before.

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Cold weather wouldn't be so bad if all the uncomfortable duties weren't somehow pushed upon us at the most frigid periods.

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Fluctuating prices means that when you sell the price is down, and when you buy the price isup.

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Russian soldiers kick a Persian, arrest the Persian for being in the way and then kill him for resisting the government authoritiy. Or at least some peculiarities to that effect are in vogue now in the far east.

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Kid McCoy is married again. Is this his eighth or is it his tenth time? He stil has something on Nat Goodwin and King Henry VIII, but King Soloman's record apparently is unapproachable.

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It must be tough on the shade of Confucius to know that the Chinese are entirely going back on his teachings in their progressive nations.

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A man of the world is a man who calls a bartender oy his first name, infers the Youngstown Vindicator. But that's in Ohio. Conditions are different in Pennsylvania and New York.

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The Washington Observer reports that butterflies were seen about the county jail this week. That's nothing. Humming birds in spangles, pink elephants, and June bugs with wings of gold in December are often reported as being in evidence at our borough lock-up.

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If that Monessen man who toted a suit case full of dynamite around the streets while carrying inside his carcass a good sized package of internal dynamite, stays in jail until February to await action of the grand jury, he will have time to gravely consider matters anyhow, even though he doesn't get any sentence.

Bath robes and smoking jackets. Murdock & McCarty. 115-tf

A Four Hour Sale on January 1

Store closed at noon on New Years Day and we want to condense a whole day's business into four short hours. These bargains will bring the crowds, so be here early to insure prompt service.

These Prices are for This Sale Only

Four Hour Fur Sale

$10 00 Furs for $7.50
$5.00 Furs for $3.50
$1.00 Furs for $3.00
$3.00 Furs for $1.98

Men and Women's Plain Hemstitched Linen Handkerchiefs

Womens Pure Linen, regular size handkerchiefs, 6 for 25c.

Mens Full size Pure Linen handkerchiefs, 3 for 25c.

Womens Fine Embroidered Handkerchiefs, 25c and 35c value. Sale price, 5 for $1.00.

Sale closes a noon New Years day.

Children's Lined Fur Top Kid Gloves

Pretty brown color with neat fur trimming, were a bargain at 75c. Sale Price for four hours only...50c

All Picture Books, Bibles etc. to be offered during this sale at

Half Price

Don't forget this sale lasts only till noon on Monday, January 1, 1912.

Four Hours Brisk Selling Will Soon Reduce Our Stocks of

Fancy Goods At Half Price

Neck Tie and Hair Ribbon Holders, formerly 25c and 50c .....
Spun Brass and Copper Smoker's Sets, formerly $1.50 to $3.00.....
Brass Ash Trays, Ink Wells, etc., formerly 25c to 50c .....
Comb and Brush Sets, formerly $1.50 to $10.00 .....
Manicure Sets, formerly 25c to $5.00
Sewing Boxes, formerly 50c to $1.00
Perfumes, 25c to 50c .....
Men's 50c Boxed Neckwear .....
One table of Assorted Toys .....

Now Half Price

HALF PRICE SALE CLOSES AT NOON MONDAY

Sale of Umbrellas

Choice of one lot of ladies umbrellas with up-to-date Mission and Princess Handles
$1.00 Umbrellas choice 85c
$1.50 Umbrellas choice $1.25
$2.00 Umbrellas choice $1.50

Ladies' Boxed Fancy Neckwear
Formerly 25c and 50c. Choice four hour Sale Price 10c

Men's, Boys' and Women's Sweater Coats
$1.24 Kind go for ..... .89c
$5.00 Kind (Womens Only) $2.98

Lancaster Apron Gingham per yard 6c
9-4 Bleached Sheetings, worth 30c per yard..19c
Light and Dark Outing Flannel per yard 8c

Underwear Specials for Four Hours Only

Misses Fleecy Ribbed Vests or Pants, one surplus lot, sizes 8 to 14 Special fine finish, choice... 20c

Men's $1.00 Union Suits fine ribbed, fleece lined, per suit..85c

Boys' Fleeced Union Suits, ribbed or plain, all sizes, per suit 45c

Kirk and Clark
THE ECONOMIC STORE.

PICKED UP IN PASSING

According to the Canonsburg Notes James Welsh of Charleiers came to that town the other day and bought a mouse trap which was guaranteed to do the work. When he came back a day or two afterwards he was asked how he was getting along, when he answered:

"First-rate. "Why," said he, "the first evening I caught 19 mice before bedtime, and I could have caught more only that my boy, who was keeping tally got behind and I had to stop to let him catch up with the count; and once I had stopped I concluded not to start up again until morning."

"I was in West Virginia last week on a business trip," said a valley resident, "and I find the people there stirred up over the high cost of living, just as they are in this State. Naturally all who are interested in the subject turn their thoughts to stock raising and farming and deplore industrial and political conditions that are taking the young men away from the farms.

"'Only think,' said a West Virginian with whom I was discussing the subject, 'the value of the hogs raised in this State last year is only $2,000,000, while over in Ohio they raised hogs valued at $19,000,000. We've too many politicians here and not enough farmers. What we need to do is to raise more hogs and less h——l.'"

The greatest Suit and Overcoat in the world for $10, $12, and $15. Murdock & McCarty. 123-tf

Business Directory

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Manicuring, Shampooing, Hair Dressing and Weaving, Face and Scalp Massaging, Chiropody.

MRS. NEALER
Bell Phone 29-R
206 Fourth St. Charleroi, Pa.

FACTS AND FICTION

Experiences of Charleroi People are Easily Proven to be Facts.

The most superficial investigation will prove that the following statement from a resident of Charleroi is true. Read it and compare evidence many of strangers living so far away you cannot investigate the facts of the case. Many more citizens of Charleroi will endorse Doan's Kidney Pills.

Mrs. William McBridge, 508 Lincoln avenue, Charleroi Pa., says: "Doan's Kidney Pills have been used in our family for several years. Our first experience with them took place while we were living in Beaver Falls; and a member of our family was at that time suffering from dull pains in the small of the back, and other symptoms of kidney trouble. They proved of great benefit and there was no return attack of the trouble for some time. About a month Doan's Kidney Pills were procured Piper Bros.' Drug Store and proved as beneficial as before. Judging from our experience with Doan's Kidney Pills, I do not hesitate to recommend them."

For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, New York, sole agents for the United States.

Remember the name—Doan's and take no other.

Good Advertising

Is spending the dime to get the dollar

Better Advertising

Is spending the dollar to get more dollars.

Best Advertising

Is through the medium of the CHARLEROI MAIL.

Among the Theatres

THE PALACE—CHARLEROI.

With Christmas the banner business day in the history of the house, the Palace Theatre is nearing the close of a very prosperous year, the result of giving the public the best and cleanest shows that can be procured, with careful attention to the comfort and convenience of the patrons. The Christmas crowds broke all previous records, and the matinee and night shows produced "standing room" only for late comers. Some of the strong photoplays of the week were "A Mother's Remorse," "Two Little Children," "Three Bears," "A Cure for Crime," besides many other. The Weekly Pathe Bulletin showed the recent big fire in Jersey City and the great fight the firemen waged against it. Another interesting feature of the Bulletin was caring for the wounded soldiers in the war between Tripoli and Turkey. Two splendid military parades of English and German soldiery were shown, as well as the recent Hungarian Feste in Cincinnati. The art of deflating a mammoth dirigible military balloon used in the German army was also an interesting feature. Miss Helen Atwill included in her repertoire of vocal selections two rollicing songs—"The Mississippi Dip," and "Knock on Wood," the latter illustrated, which pleased the crowds immensely.

THE STAR—CHARLEROI.

Christmas Day was a big one at the Star, which was practically open all day, with a change of program at night. The most of the shows taxed the capacity of the house, and Manager Cowan and his corp of assistants had a most strenuous day. Some of the features of the week were "The War in Tripoli," "The Old Leader," "An Indian Legend," "The Test," "The Rivals," and "The Blunt Sword." An educational feature was life motion pictures of manoeuvres by "National Guardsmen and Regulars at Fort Riley, Kansas." This was a most thrilling and interesting feature and showed most conclusively that the days of daring horsemanship and military pomp were not confined to the Age of Chivalry, or the romantic times of the "Louies" of France. The patrons of the Star were well taken care of during the holiday season, and greatly appreciated the pleasing programs for futher enjoying Christmas.

THE ALVIN—PITTSBURG.

The New Year's week attraction at the Alvin, Pittsburg, opening with a New Year matinee, will be America's leading comedienne, Marie Cahill. She will be presented in a new European musical comedy, "The Opera Ball,' by her manager Daniel V. Arthur. Before "The Merry Widow" launched the present Viennese vogue and caused a noticeable demand on the part of the public for more plot and more plot music, Miss Cahill was leading the way to the same and with her comedies, "Molly Moonshine," "Marrying Mary," "The Boys and Betty" and "Judy Forget."

It is said that she has now a comedy which surpasses any ever seen in the legitimacy of the story. It is from the German of Victor Leon and H. Von Waldberg with the original music of Richard Heuberger. The adaptation has been made by Sydney Rosenfeld.

As usual, Mr. Arthur has surrounded Miss Cahill with a cast of players whose names are well known to the American stage: Harry Conor, Edward M. Favor, George Lydecker, Roland Hogue, Harry Fairleigh, Evelyn Carter Carrington, Alice Gentle, Ann Tasker, Mildred Elaine and Howard Pascal. There is also a chorus which can really sing and dance.

THE GRAND—PITTSBURG

Vaudeville from all parts of the world is the Grand's New Year's offering. In the array of talent which Manager Harry Davis has booked for the week beginning Monday afternoon, January 1,—there are attractions from Europe, America and Australia. The multitude of theatre goers who revere the memory of Charles Dickens will be especially interested in the performances of Mr. Tom Terriss, supported by a company of twelve London artists in the representation of "Scrooge," an adaptation in one act of Dickens' famous novel, "A Christmas Carol." Among his leading players are Fred Epiteaux, who is to play the part of Bob Cratchit and was a member of the late Sir Henry Irving's company; Miss Marjorie Davenport in the role of Mrs. Cratchit who was associated with Sir H. Beerbohm Tree and G. Clifford Boyne and Erksholme E. Clive, two of the best known of England's veteran stock actors. Mr. Terriss himself will personate the title role.

The Ten Vassar Girls whose delightful musicians have always been immensely popular in Pitsburg, return for their first engagement at the Grand in several seasons. They give a program of high class and popular music played upon a variety of instruments and interpolating a spectacular electric dance

Stuart Baries, who is perhaps the most polished and entertainong of monologists will talk upon a variety of subjects, his favorite theme of matrimony as only this genteel entertainer may.

An act of unusual quality and style will be given by Rose Royal and her horse, 'Chesterfield," an Arabian equine, pure white and Miss Royal has trained him to pose in reproduction of classic studies.

Edward Flanagan and Neal Edwards will give their own conception of stage life entitled "On and Off."

Lee White and George Perry, will sing among other ditties such attractive songs as "Slip on Your Glad Rags and Come With Me," "You've Got the Wrong Number, but You've Got the Right Girl," "The Hoolo Boola Glide," "In the Garden of My Heart," etc.

Emma Francis, the well-known and popular singing comedienne will introduce her troupe of versatile Arabs in songs, dances and tumbling.

Josephine Davis will sing mirthful character songs. Gordon Brothers in addition to a bag punching exhibition, will present their boxing kangaroo.

The moving picture portion of the program will include a review of world events and complete a New Year's program which would seem to be above criticism.

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PARENTAL AUTHORITY.

(Communicated)

Never pet children when reprimanded by parental authority If young parents could realize that father and mother must be a unit in family government, divorces would be less frequent and children would have a better chance. The mother is sure the father is harsh, while the father feels sure mother is entirely too crazy and both are probably right. The differenec of opinion should be talked over privately and even if you cannot agree, you must appear to do so before the children, if the home is to be serene and the children to have a fair chance in the world.

A mother or father teaching a child in any way to deceive the other is committing a criminal act, yet this is done by mothers time and again. Each parent should remember that only one half of the child can be claimed by either, and the government must be a mixture of justice and mercy if successful. The welfare of the nation and the uniform thousands depend upon the homes of today and good literature should be found in the home. Life is very serious to those who see it as it is, and there are times in every [illegible] when we forget the advice of a godly home.

We feel we are sufficient in ourselves and can supply our own wants, but trouble comes—we bemoan our weakness and how feeble when left to ourselves. How ignorant of pitfalls and snares, how easily we walk into Satin's net, as the bird walks into the fowler's net. Brave and noble children taught courage and self-denial by parents and to live a pure life carry power to move the masses to a better life. From the home comes all good impulses of life. The day comes too soon when the household is scattered—gone to make homes for themselves. Happy are we if no hasty words or unkind deeds haunt us. From the home comes all the good impulses of humanity conflicting

Parental authority has ruined many a home and when it is too late we realize our mistake. The fact is we forget God in our prosperity and that every good thing we have or enjoy comes from God. What wanderer has not longed or signed for home where patient fathers, faithful and brave, have planned and managed to improve, build up for the comfort of the family, while the mother works by his side as the children grow under the tender care. May our nation continue to honor and protect our homes. W.

The KITCHEN CABINET

RARE indeed is the soul which has journeyed through untroubled ways from cradle to mid-life. The sweetest as well as the greatest souls on earth have experienced great difficulties and borne great burdens.

HOT DISHES.

Here is a nice breakfast dish: In a skillet fry out two slices of fat salt pork cut into cubes. in this brown a cup of bread cut in cubes. add an equal amount of cold cooked potatoes cut in dice, when brown add two eggs slightly beaten, heat slowly stirring until the egg is cooked. Season with salt and pepper and serve.

Minced Meat on Toast.—Put any cold cooked meat through the grinder and into the saucepan with gravy or stock and seasonings to taste. Let simmer while making fresh toast. Butter the toast after moistening it with a little of the stock. Thicken the meat with cream and a little flour mixed to a smooth paste, cook until well done, then pour over the toast.

Luncheon Dish.—Fry the fat from six slices of good bacon. remove it from the pan; flour six thick slices of ripe tomatoes and fry them in the bacon fat: while they cook make six round slices of golden toast, and poach six eggs; put the toast on a hot platter and a slice of tomato and an egg then a piece of cooked bacon; dust lightly with salt and pepper and serve at once.

Another which is a great favorite.—Prepare a white sauce as follows: A tablespoonful each of butter and flour When the butter is bubbling hot add the flour and when mixed a cup of rich milk and seasonings to taste. When well cooked add a cup of finely grated cheese, drop in gently four eggs: as soon as the eggs are set remove them and place on a slice of toast, pour the sauce over it and serve at once.

A bean or potato soup is one of the most palatable dishes to serve on a cold night for supper. Oyster stew or cream of tomato soup are both prime favorites. A dish of hot well made cream or milk toast, seasoned with a sprinkling of grated cheese, is a dish that nearly everybody likes.

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Ever notice that the wolf generally comes to the door disguised as a bill collector?

A man seldom knows who his friends are, but his enemies are more considerate.

It requires almost as much force of character to be a book agent as to turn one down.

Many a girl would promsie to marry a man if she thought he wouldn't be so silly as to expect her to live up to her promise.

No woman is competent to advise a young girl in her love affairs unless the aforesaid woman has been married at least four times.

WAYSIDE WISDOM.

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There is no hunger as keen as the hunger for sympathy.

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No matter how lazy a man may be, his laziness seldom extends to his tongue.

Most of us are too busy looking for tomorrow's possibilities to see those of today.

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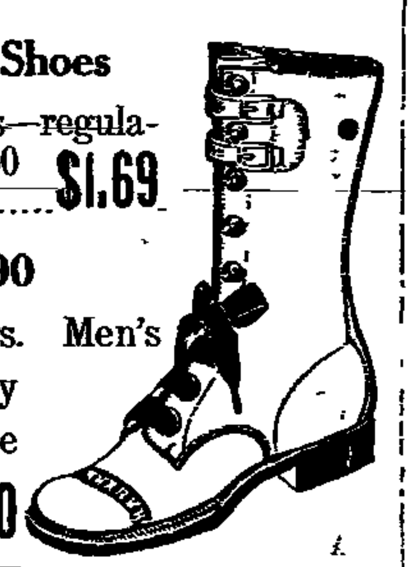

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CHARLEROI WINS FROM UNIONTOWN

(Continued from page one.)

first they had tied four times with Charleroi and ended that period with the score 22 to 17 against them. With apparent roughness the visitors failed to make the desired showing during the second period. Sears tossed a couple in the basket and Swenson who was put in to relieve O'Donnell heaved gracefully to count one. Adams threw one field goal, Jimsey Brown one. and Allie Brown two this half Lineup:

Charleroi—38		Uniontown—31
Adams	F	Boggio
J. Brown	F	O'Donnell
A. Brown	C	Powell
Pfeiffer	G	Sears
Herron	G	Morris

Substitutions—Swenson for O'Donnell. Field goals—Adams 8, J. Brown 2, A.Brown 4. Herron, Boggio, O'Donnell, Sears 2, Swenson. Foul goals—Adams 18 out of 26. Sears 21 out of 30. Score end first half—Charleroi 22, Uniontown 17. Referee—Wetzel.

BILLIARD CONTEST STILL CONTINUES

In the Crescent Billiard Tournament Friday night Berton of the Hoppes defeated Heiker of the Schaeffers by the score of 75 to 65 In 53 innings Heiker had high run 7, Wheeler of the Hoppes defeated Gee of the Schaeffers by the score of 100 to 95. Gee had high run of 10 This was by far the most interesting game of the series to date. The attendance was good The next game is Monday when Sharkey plays Arrigo.

Schaeffers	W	L
Sharkey	0	2
Hepler	1	1
Heiker	2	1
Philips	1	1
Gee	0	2
Zellers	1	1
Total	5	8

Hoppes	W	L
Arrigo	2	0
Jack	1	1
Berton	1	2
Sahner	1	1
Lorensen	1	1
Wheeler	2	0
Total	8	5

Salt a Luxury.

In some parts of Africa children will eat salt in preference to sugar. On the gold coast a handful of salt will purchase two slaves.

Enough of That.

A man is never old enough to know enough not to marry a girl who is young enough to be his granddaughter.

Home of Governors.

The Louisville Courier-Journal says Kentucky has furnished to other states 106 governors.

"DEAD CENTER" BOWLS NICELY

Calls Out Possible Score and Then Makes It--Tournament Closes

With a great exhibition of ten pin rolling, "Dead Center" Green champion bowler closed his engagement at the Casino alleys Friday afternoon "Dead Center" rolled in ten frames a possible score of 100 but that wasn't his most wonderful performance. In the opinion of the spectators his best work was in knocking down the four back pins by one shot. A precision seldom attained in bowling was shown by this work. He allowed spectators to pick out pins and he would knock them down as handily as you please. Then he would call out a score he would make and proceed to make it. In the duckpin tournament which continued three days while he was here, Enoch Davis won the first prize with an average of 85, Walter Jack second prize with an average score of 84 and Willis Briggs Davis Woodward and S. L. Woodward tied at 81 for third place.

BOWLING

On the Crescent alleys last night the Stars won three games at duckpin from the Vensuses Cupp had high score, also high average The Crescents and Stars bowl next Tuesday night and a battle royal for second place is on Following is the score and standing of the league to date.

Stars.			
Sahner	102	102	95
Hepler	95	106	107
Berton	95	—	85
Cupp	132	105	109
Gamble	—	87	—
Totol	424	400	396

Venuses.			
Victor	114	94	106
Palmer	100	118	96
Paul	111	85	88
Gamble	96	89	92
Total	421	386	396

Standing of Clubs.

	W	L	P
Comets	14	4	.778
Crescents	11	7	.611
Stars	10	8	.556
Vennuses	1	17	056

Teach Shoemaking.

Students in the technical school at Northampton, England, one of the manufacturing centers for boots and shoes, get a thorough course in leather and footwear manufacture.

The English Weather Man.

The weather forecast for today is: Fair or fine, with some hail or snow showers, moderating northerly winds, veering northeasterly; cold, sharp night, frost inland.—London Express.

Among The Passers

Did big U win? not by Adamsite.

Capt Jack-Oh! Jimsey Brown-Oh! Allie Brown-Oh! Sir William Herron-Oh! Ke-ke Pfeiffer-Oh! Dolin-Oh! Then six Oh's.

Next game is Monday night when Washington plays.

Adams wore out his shoes. So did Sears trying to catch up with Capt. Jack Big Bill Herron also had to borrow a penknife from the press table to chop off a piece of refractory sole.

Big Bill Powell didn't have but one chance to shoot.

They sang about taking Sears' goat and they took it.

Will the Connellsville Courie, Johnstown Leader, and Uniontown Herald be careful not to mention Charleroi as down and out again?

Talk about flying high—Pfeiffer was a regular aeroplane intercepting those passes.

Jimsey Brown said he was going to surprise the people by combing his hair between halves. His surprise was duly forgotten.

Jacky Adams threw a left handed one from near the center of the floor for the prettiest basket thrown this season. Then Jimsey Brown broke the way from a crowd of Big U's and tossed one over his head without looking at the basket. To say it landed properly is superfluous.

Big U put Swenson, a fresh man and a big Swede in for O'Donnell in the second half but he made no more impression than a fly would against a stone wall.

If the rooters root like they did last night the boys are sure to win.

Did you notice Allie Brown jumping? Big Bill Powell didn't have a ghost of a chance with him.

Somebody informed us that the Connellsville bunch was a bunch of roughs, meaning of course that they used football tactics sometimes. Without displaying our pride too much it might be remarked that if they want to play football that there are some fellows on the Charleroi team who were brought up on that game the way some children are on bread and milk.

Washington is awfully anxious to have the Charleroi team transferred there Just as Charleroi fans are getting interested.

CENTRAL BASKETBALL LEAGUE

Last Night's Results

Johnstown 50—Connellsville 37
Charleroi 38—Uniontown 31

Standing of the Clubs.

	W	L	Pct
Johnstown	21	5	.808
Uniontown	19	5	.792
Charleroi	13	13	.500
Connellsville	12	14	.462
Southside	10	15	.400
Washington	0	23	.000

Tonight's Schedule.

Charleroi at Southside
Uniontown at Washington

SUNDAY SERVICES AT THE CHURCHES

Washington Avenue Presbyterian.

Sabbath School at 9:45, morning preaching hour 11 o'clock. Subject, "Trying the Unknown." Jr. C. E. at 2:30. Topic, "What Have You Remembered From This Years' Meetings." Senior C E. at 6:30. Topic, "Things I Want to do Better Next Year." Leader. Miss Bernice Clutter. Preaching at 7:30. Subject, "Some Marks of Progress in the Coming of the Kingdom." All are cordially invited to worship with us. Rev. John R. Burson, pastor.

Christ Lutheran.

Sixth street and Washington avenue. Sunday School at 9:45. Divine worship at 11 and 7:30, with sermons by the pastor. Luther League at 6:45. Celebration of the holy communion at both morning and evening services with preparatory service in the morning Rev C F [illegible], pastor.

French Presbyterian.

Sunday School at 9.30. Morning services at 10:30. Evening service at 8 instead of 7, followed by social hour and watch meeting. Services will be held on Tuesday for women, only. Prayer meeting on Wednesday and men's meeting Thursday evening at 7:30. Everybody welcome. Rev J. E. Charles pastor.

Methodist.

Sunday School at 9:30 Public worship and sermon, "Golden Memories" at 10.45. Public worship and sermon "How to Live Right" at 7:30. Epworth League Devotional meeting at 9. Watch meeting at 10. Everybody cordially welcome to these services. Rev. F. A. Richards, minister.

Episcopal.

Corner of Sixth and Lookout avenue. Sunday school and Bible classes at 9:45. Morning prayer and sermon at 11 Subject of discourse. "How We Spend Our Years." The last day of the old year. Evening prayer and address at 7:30. Subject. "Thoughts on the Old Year and the New." The offering on Sunday will be for diocesean missions. On Monday, New Years day, also the day of the Feast of the Ascension, the holy communion will be celebrated at 10:30 o'clock. Christmas music will be repeated next Sunday. All are cordially invited. Rev. L. W. Shey, rector.

Baptist.

Sunday School at 9:30. Morning worship at 11 o'clock when the pastor will preach the sermon Young Peoples' meeting at 6:30. Dr. C C. Wright will be the leader. Everybody welcome.

First Presbyterian.

Sunday School at 9:45. Preaching services with appropriate sermon for incoming year at 11. Jr. C. E at 2:30. Sr. C. E. at 6:45. Leader, Miss Tillie Hopkins. Topic, "Things I Want to Do Better Next Year." Evening service a continuation of the Pilgrim's Progress from the "House Beautiful." This will be illustrated. The last offering of this year is for the Board of Freedmen All are cordially invited. Rev. J. T. Hackett pastor.

Happy Thought.

Father—"My colleague is the most insatiable man I ever saw. He wants everything he sees." Mother—"Can't you introduce one of our daughters to him?"

Might Live Forever.

Taking Up Henry Ward Beecher's declaration that "Yellow fever is God Almighty's opinion of dirt," a writer says nobody would die if he could keep perfectly clean.

Concrete in 56 B. C.

In the south of France is a concrete arch bridge known as the Pont du Gard, which was erected in the year 56 B. C.

A Great Service.

It is a great service to create an honest smile as we meet one another in this heavy laden world.—The Rev. Dinsdale T. Young.

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LOCAL MENTION

Mrs. G A. Sample and daughter, Miss Flossie, who have been visiting the former's daughter, Mrs H. H. Coles at the Wilbur returned to their home in Wilkinsburg today.

Miss Alice Bell, who has been visiting Mrs. W. H. Coles at the Wilbur returned today to her home in Pittsburg.

You can get a Monarch $1.00 dress Shirt for 90c at Murdock & McCarty's. 115-tf

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Day of the Hotel Arthur who were guests at the Executive Mansion at Harrisburg over Christmas have returned home.

Mrs. R. M. Smith of Fifth street was in Pittsburg over last night, attending a theatre party with her husband, who belongs to the corps of Heinz salesmen, which was in convention at headquarters this week.

Mr. and Mrs H. H. Fogg of Portland, Maine, arrived this week to visit the latter's sister, Mrs A. W. Day at the Hotel Arthur.

Paul Chalfant and sister Miss Ruth Chalfant of Washington have been guests with relatives here and at Speers.

Miss Adele Heupel was in Roscoe Friday the guest of Miss Elsie Furlong.

Mrs. Arthur Slaughter and mother Mrs Hepler have gone to North Girard, near Erie to visit relatives

Classified Ads.

WANTED—Men to commence the New Year right by going to work for us and sell our line of Tea, Coffee, Baking Powder, Spices, Extracts, Soap products and Sundries to the consumer on commission basis. No capital to start. Small bond required. Address, Grand Union Tea Co., 820 Federal St., Pittsburg, Pa. 130-t8

WANTED—High class man to sell trees, shrubs, roses, vines, berry bushes, bulb, etc Good wages—permanant. Exclusive territory. Brown Brothers company, Rochester, New York. 129-t1p

FOR SALE—Fine driving horse, 8 years old; phaeton, sleigh and harness. Reason for selling, have automobile. Apply "K" Mail office. 124-tf

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